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SEASONS AVERAGE 28.03 INCHES RAIN

WEATHER OBSERVER BRINK PREPARES 24-YEAR STATISTICS

EARLIEST FROST IN 1913

That Came on September 22; Last Year's Was on October 28; Latest Was on May 10 of This Year

Weather Observer J. R. Brink has prepared some interesting weather facts for the past twenty-four years in regard to the last killing frost in the spring, the first killing frost in the fall, the length of the growing season from frost to frost, and the precipitation during the growing season. The average precipitation during the growing season for the past twenty-four years was 28.03 inches.

The latest date in the spring for a killing frost was May 10, 1919, while the earliest killing frost during that period was September 22, 1913. The following is the table from 1894 to 1918; the first column being the year, the next the date of the last killing frost in spring, the next the date of the first killing frost in the fall, the length of the growing season from frost to frost, and the last column the precipitation during the growing season:

1895—April 3; Sept. 30—179; 22.22
1896—April 4; Oct. 17—195; 32.41
1897—April 17; Oct. 29—192; 21.72
1898—April 10; Oct 17—189; 30.37
1899—April 9; Sept. 29—172; 26.26
1900—April 13; Nov. 1—201; 33.77
1901—Apr. 18; Sept. 18—152; 19.16
1902—Sept. 23; Oct. 14—173; 32.33
1903—May 3; Oct. 18—167; 33.77
1904—April 21; Oct. 23—184; 31.88
1905—April 18; Oct. 12—186; 26.77
1906—April 15; Oct. 10—177; 19.79
1907—May 5; Oct. 12—160; 28.62
1908—May 7; Sept. 28—148; 30.10
1909—May 10; Oct. 12—154; 30.16
1910—April 25; Oct. 28—185; 18.08
1911—May 2; Oct. 22—172; 21.06
1913—Apr. 26; Sept. 22—148; 17.72
1912—Apr. 7; Sept. 26—171; 17.92
1914—April 20; Oct. 26—209; 24.01
1915—April 12; Oct. 5—175; 45.96
1916—Apr. 10; Sept. 29—171; 35.88
1917—April 26; Oct 6—164; 32.03
1918—April 28; Oct. 28—182; 35.36

WAR DEPARTMENT EXTENDS BONUS TO THE REGULARS, TOO

Those Enlisting Prior to April 2, 1917, Also to Receive $60 Upon Discharge, Under New Ruling

Capt. John P. Flood, in charge of the army recruiting station at St. Joseph, received a telegram yesterday to the effect that the war department has instructed the payment of $60 bonus to regular army soldiers who enlisted prior to April 2, 1917, and served through the emergency.

Heretofore only men enlisting subsequent to April 2 and considered as members of the emergency army have received the bonus. Any regular army men already discharged or furloughed to the reserve who did not get the bonus may get full information on how to make application for it at the army recruiting station.

The ruling also entitles regular army men re-enlisting to travel pay allowance in addition to the bonus.

TO ORGANIZE ADVERTISING CLUB.

A meeting will be held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms at 7:30 o'clock this evening to organize an advertising club. All members of the Chamber of Commerce who are interested in advertising and merchandising are asked to be present to assist in organizing. Merchants are specially requested to be present, as matters of importance to them will be taken up.

Mrs. W. J. Wilcoxon of Kansas City arrived Monday night to spend two weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. T. Yates. Mr. Wilcoxon will come the latter part of the week for a few days visit.

Electric Theatre
TONIGHT
Emmy Wehlen In
FOOLS AND THEIR MONEY
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Night 8:00 9:15 11-17c

VERNON NASH WILL CONDUCT KANSAS CITY "Y" PUBLICITY

Former City Editor of the Democrat-Forum Recently Married Former M. H. S. Teacher In N. Y.

Vernon Nash, who recently returned to Kansas City from German East Africa and India, has been made publicity director for the Y. M. C. A. in Kansas City, according to the Kansas City Star. Mr. Nash will take charge of a campaign to be launched soon by the Kansas City "Y."

Mr. Nash is well known in Missouri, having won the Rhodes Scholarship from the University of Missouri in 1916. Soon after entering the University of Oxford, however, he volunteered for Y. M. C. A. work in the British army.

Mr. Nash is a former city editor of the Maryville Democrat-Forum. He married Miss Mary Rooker, a former teacher in the Maryville High School, at Brooklyn, N. Y. July 23.

RED CROSS OF COUNTY WILL CHOOSE NEW OFFICERS SOON

Executive Board Will Make Nominations in Maryville Friday; Local Branches to Elect Later.

An important meeting of the executive board of Nodaway County chapter of the Red Cross will be held at the Red Cross rooms on West Third street in Maryville at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. At this meeting the new chapter executives for the coming year will be nominated, and it is urged that all of the branches in the county send their representatives.

On Tuesday, October 22, local meetings of all the branches will be held to elect from the nominations made in Maryville Friday.

Wednesday, October 15, the branches will elect their local officers for the year.

Among the matters to come up for discussion at the meeting of the executive board in Maryville Friday will be that of a visiting nurse for the county. The project has been considered for a long time, and the money has been raised, so that all remaining to be done is to select the nurse. One who was considered for the position has become unavailable, and it is probable that a representative will be sent to St. Louis to select one.

Plans for the county Red Cross drive for membership early in November may also come up for consideration.

VISITORS CROWD IN ST. LOUIS TO SEE THE VEILED PROPHET

Festive Event Given For First Time Since U. S. Went to War; Floats Were Symbolic of Peace

St. Louis, Oct. 8.—With thousands of Missourians from all parts of the state crowding the city, the night of the Veiled Prophet, the biggest annual festive event of St. Louis, was celebrated last night for the first time since the United States went into the war with Germany in 1917. Every hotel was packed, and the overflow went into boarding houses, private residences and any other place where any kind of sleeping accommodations could be found.

The big pageant ,the public feature of the day, was given over principally to floats symbolic of the ending of the war. There was a float representing peace, another Democracy, and each of the allied nations were presented in like manner. Huge throngs crowded the line of march and the carnival scenes on the principal thoroughfares surpassed those of pre- war days of the event.

The pageant terminated with the great ball at the Coliseum, which always ends the big day with the appearance of the Veiled Prophet, who picks the Queen of Beauty and Love, dances the opening quadrille with her and then disappears. The pageant-ball last night typified the "Downfall of Mars." It opened with the ballet of Peace and Victory, followed by the heralding of the Veiled Prophet's approach. Society from the city and state attended. Both the huge dance floor and the galleries were crowded to overflowing.

To Kitterman Funeral.

Mrs. Mary Bennett and her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth French, left yesterday for Ottumwa, Iowa, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Bennett's son-in-law, C. C. Kitterman of Chicago. Mr. Kitterman died very suddenly Saturday in Chicago, and the body was taken to Ottumwa, his former home, for burial. Mrs. Bennett and Mrs. French expect to return Friday.

ERNEST A. RILEY UP ON GAMING CHARGE

GEORGE W. BUTLER, RECENTLY PAROLED, IS THE WITNESS

BOYLES CASE GOES OVER

Andrew County Ejectment Suit Too Much for Jury; J. L. Key Gets a Judgment by Default

The case of the state vs. Ernest A. Riley on a charge of gaming went to the jury about press time this afternoon, after having been up in court the greater part of the day. George W. Butler, who was recently given a five-year sentence in the penitentiary, having pleaded guilty to forgery and was paroled, was the prosecuting witness. The jury hearing the case is composed of Charles Talboti, Glen Jeffers, Fred Wray, I. S. Dickerson, W. E. Gates, Frank Lewis, H. P. Johnson, J. D. Horton, John Lorance, J. L. Partridge, P. C. Hays and Noah Duncan.

After deliberating on the Boyles-Simpson ejectment suit from 3 p. m. to 10 p. m. yesterday and from 8:30 a. m. to 10 a. m. today, a total of eight hours and a half, the jury reported that it was unable to agree and was discharged from further consideration of the case. The suit, which concerns some land east of Savannah, was brought here on a change of venue from Andrew County, and took the attention of the court here all of Monday and Tuesday and part of today. The disagreement will cause it to come for argument again.

In the perfect title suit of Annie T. Hansen and others vs. John Francis Hansen and others, a judgment was given vesting the title in the plaintiff as per form filed. F. R. Wolfers was named as attorney for the unknown and minor defendants.

The contract suit of Harvey E. Bradley vs. Samuel Robbins was continued by agreement.

In the suit of J. L. Key vs. Otis O. Wallace, on a note, the defendant defaulted and judgment was given for the plaintiff in the sum of $275.40, which is the sum sued for with 8 per cent interest.

X-RAY HELPS SOLVE INSANITY PROBLEM BY PICTURING HEADS

Experts In East Study Skull Structure of Those Mentally Deficient and Find Troubles

Brookline, Mass., Oct. 8.—The study of the inside of the skulls of insane patients at the Massachusetts Psychopathic Hospital is the latest means which medical science has developed to help solve the problem of the mentally sick. The examination of these strange shadow pictures already has revealed sufficient instructive information to lead to a movement to secure a state appropriation to further this work.

Experts predict that by means of these remarkable plate outlines the science of criminology and psychiatry will be moved forward substantially. Savants at the institution, investigating the cause of the various cases of mental diseases sent there, will now look to the little X-ray machine and the mysteriously shaded glass plate which cameos the bone structures of the head to help solve the riddle of aberrations of the brain which this bone wall holds. By means of these plates deviations from the normal will be promptly detected in many cases.

It is estimated that this new use of the X-ray will reveal causes of trouble in about 15 per cent of the cases that otherwise might not be correctly diagnosed.

The new work has been launched under the direction of Dr. Elmer E. Southard, head of the Pyschiatric Hospital and one of the foremost psychiatrists in the country.

N. Y. Longshoremen on Strike.

New York, Oct. 8.—Forty to sixty thousand longshoremen went on an unauthorized strike here today. As a result, shipping is tied up at many points, and several piers are congested with freight. Several ships were forced to postpone sailing.

Local Bankers to Attend Meeting.

Group three of the Missouri Bankers association will meet in St. Joseph next Tuesday, October 14. A number of bankers from Maryville will attend the meeting. George B. Baker is secretary of the disfrict association.

WILSON STRONGER TODAY THAN AT ANY TIME DURING ILLNESS

Continues to Improve Slowly; Reassuring Bulletin Issued Today From the White House

Washington, Oct. 8.—The president was stronger today than he has been at any time since he took ill a week ago and is continuing to improve slowly. This reassuring bulletin was issued from the White House this afternoon by Admiral Grayson, Admiral Stitt and Doctor Ruffin.

CONFERENCE LASTS BUT 30 MINUTES

INDUSTRIAL MEETING TO START ITS WORK BY GROUPS

LANE ASKS TO ADJOURN

Chairman Arranges to Get Matters in Shape for Presenting to Opening Session Tomorrow

Washington, Oct. 8.—After a session lasting but thirty minutes, President Wilson's industrial conference adjourned today because there was no work that could be taken up by the conference sitting as a whole. The adjournment was proposed by Secretary Lane, chairman, who stated that he believed more could be accomplished by each of the groups holding individual meetings, getting the work in shape for presentation to the conference tomorrow, at its opening session.

GOVERNMENT SUGAR CONTROL THROUGH 1920 IS SUGGESTED

Remedy For Shortage Will be Proposed By Senate Committee Which Made Investigation

Washington, Oct. 8.—Government control of sugar until the end of 1920 will be the remedy for the sugar shortage to be offered by the Senate committee which has investigated the sugar situation.

STEADY RETURN OF WORKMEN TO STEEL PLANTS IS REPORTED

Incomplete Forces at Pittsburgh Are Preparing Today to Start New Furnaces and Mills

Pittsburgh, Oct. 8. — Reporting a steady return of steel strikers to their old jobs, incomplete forces are preparing today to start new furnaces and mills. The prediction was made by manufacturers that the whole district will soon be back to normal. Strike headquarters was quiet today, with most of the leaders in Washington. The first instance of an attempt to destroy property in this district during the strike occurred early today in McKeesport, when a bomb exploded in the plant of the McKeesport heating plant. None of the workmen were injured.

Embree Burial Here Sunday.

The body of Mrs. J. V. Embree, who died at Los Angeles, Co., July 8, is expected to reach Maryville Saturday for burial here in the Miriam cemetery. The remains are accompanied by her daughters, Mrs. D. E. Mills and Miss Ethel Embree. Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at three o'clock at the First M. E. Church, conducted by Dr. G. S. Cox.

Chicago Tourists Visit Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tompkins and son, Ed, Jr., of Chicago and Mrs. G. W. Riley of Stafford, Kans., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Riley's brother, G. W. Strickler and family, southwest of Maryville. The Tompkins are on their way to Los Angeles, Cal., and are making the trip in their car.

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REVOLUTION PUTS LENINE IN PRISON

A REIGN OF TERROR IS ALSO REPORTED IN MOSCOW

CHIEF AGENT IS KILLED

Signing Away Lives of a Thousand Started Uprising; Petlura Said to Plan Massacres

London, Oct. 8.—A serious revolution has broken out in Moscow, and Nikolai Lenine, Bolshevik premier and dictator, has been cast into prison, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Helsingfors today. A reign of terror in Moscow was also reported by an Exchange Telegraph correspondent at Reval.

Peters, chief agent of the Bolshevik chiefs, when he signed away the lives of a thousand suspected bourgeois men and women, is said to have been killed.

News of the uprising was received from Moscow by wireless. According to this version, Lenine ordered the arrest of Trotsky. Instead of obeying the order, the soldiers arrested Lenine.

Paris, Oct. 8.—Consternation was created in conference circles today by the report that General Petlura, commanding in the Ukraine, had opened an offensive against the White army under General Denikine on the South Russian front. Petlura's program is said to include wholesale Jewish massacres, because his followers hold the Russian Jew mainly responsible for the Bolshevik reign.

MRS. RACHEL GRAVES DIES AT BURLINGTON JUNCTION

Was Widow of Jonathan Graves and Was Known for Building Activities; Funeral Tomorrow

Mrs. Rachel Graves, widow of the late Jonathan Graves, and a resident of Nodaway County for more than forty years, died yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at her home in Burlington Junction, where she had lived for the last twenty years.

She had been sick only a few days. The cause of death was hemorrhage of the lungs. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. H. S. Weaver of King City, assisted by the Rev. Ernest Snider of Burlington Junction.

Mrs. Graves was 75 years old, and was born in Ross county, Ohio. When she and her husband first came to this county they lived on a big farm near Quitman.

Surviving are a son, Sheridan Graves of Burlington Junction, three grandchildren, two brothers, John R. Graves of Burlington Junction and Thurman Graves of Alva, Wyo., and a sister, Mrs. Mary Waliker of Clinton, Iowa. Mr. Graves died six or seven years ago.

Mrs. Graves was one of the most popular women in Burlington Junction. She was responsible for much of the home-building activity in that town, especially along the avenue.

Wilcox Christians to Reorganize.

A meeting was held at the Christian Church at Wilcox Friday night for the purpose of re-organizing the church. Rev. R. E. Snodgrass of the Christian church here and Rev. W. A. Chapman of Pickering will speak at the meeting. The male quartette of the Christian Church of Maryville and Mrs. F. P. Robinson will furnish music at the meeting.

Dry Bill Expected to Pass.

Washington, Oct. 8.—The conference report on the prohibition enforcement bill will be passed by the Senate this afternoon without a doubt. The report has not been adopted, but it is thought that it will be.

Reign of Terror Planned, Report.

Weirton, Pa., Oct. 8.—Papers taken during a raid on the section headquarters of the "red guard" here yesterday indicate that a reign of terror throughout the United States was believed to have been planned for the Christmas holiday season.

Germans to Leave Baltic Zone.

Copenhagen, Denmark, Oct. 8.—Official announcement has been made in Berlin that the appeal to the German troops to withdraw from the Baltic region, as demanded by the peace conference, has been successful, according to a dispatch from Berlin today.

U. S. PEACE DELEGATES DENY INFLUENCING ACTION ON FIUME

Great Britain Says She Will Take no Action Alone in the Matter, Contradicting Reports

Paris, Oct. 8.—American peace delegates today denied the report current in the Italian press that the United States influenced Great Britain to send a note to Italy warning that she might be expelled from the Entente if the present Italian situation in Fiume continues.

London, Oct. 8.—Contrary to reports emanating from abroad, Great Britain will not take any action alone in the Fiume question, it was stated by a semi- official news agency today.

RAVENWOOD R. R. STATION BROKEN INTO LAST NIGHT

Watchman Fires Five Shots at Would-be Thief, Who Makes a Successful Escape

The railway station at Ravenwood was broken into last night, but nothing of value was taken ,as there was no money in the money drawer at the depot. The night watchman discovered that the depot had been broken into and fired five shots at the would-be robber who was then in the alley back of the drug store of that town, but the man escaped, and it is supposed he was not hit. The attempted robbery took place about 1 o'clock this morning.

FRED MESSBARGER LOST CAR ALSO IN THEFT AT PARNELL

Is In Addition to $200 Worth of Tires and Tubes Discovered Yesterday; Robbery Night Before

The new Ford car of Fred Messbarger was stolen from the garage of Charles Harmon at Parnell some time during the night Monday. Its loss was not discovered until yesterday. The garage was broken into Monday night and $200 worth of tires and tubes were taken.

POPULARITY OF SHORT COURSE BRINGS INQUIRIES TO U. OF M.

Success of Graduates of Agricultural Course Attested by Letters That Are Sent In

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 8. — Inquiries concerning the Short Course in Agriculture at the University of Missouri, which begins October 27, are still coming in to the College of Agriculture Requests for bulletins and information have been received from all the neighboring states and from as far east as New York and as far west as California. Arizona, Texas, Wyoming and practically all the western states will be represented in Missouri this year. Officials in the College of Agriculture are looking for the largest enrollment in the short course they have ever had.

Graduates of the short course are proving successful farmers; they are giving practical demonstrations of the value of the training received at the College of Agriculture. Many letters have been received by Dean F. B. Mumford from former short course men telling how the short course has aided them in their work on farms.

Adolph Kies of Jackson, Mo., who finished the short course in 1916, now has a farm of about 400 acres and is one of the most progressive men in that section of the state. He is a breeder of purebred Poland-China hogs and Shorthorn cattle. He has a field of seven acres of alfalfa from which he has harvested about thirty loads of hay this year. He is enthusiastic over the aid he received while a student in the short course.

The faculty of the College of Agriculture declares that the success of the former short course men in this and other states is the best recommendation for the course.

E. E. Harper, consulting engineer for the city commissioners ,came from Kansas City yesterday to assist in the work at the city water plant.

SOX WIN ANOTHER FROM CINCINNATI

SCORE TODAY IS 4 TO 1; CICOTTE PROVES EFFECTIVE

HAD TO RELIEVE SALLEE

Slugging Chicago Batters Drive Red Pitchers to the Woods; Series Now Stands 4 to 3

Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 8. — Fighting with their backs to the wall — one more victory will give the series to Cincinnati — the Chicago White Sox today annexed another game from the Reds in the seventh struggle of the world's series by a score of 4 to 1.

The series now stands: Cincinnati, 4; Chicago, 3.

Cicotte, twice beaten in this series by the Reds, was effective throughout. At no time was Cincinnati really dangerous. On the other hand, the Cincinnati pitchers proved easy for the Chicago batters, who seem at last to have found their batting eyes, as is shown by their slugging in the last two games.

At the end of the fifth inning the game stood: Chicago—four runs, nine hits, one error; Cincinnati—no runs, two hits, three errors.

The score by innings—

Chicago	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1

Batteries: Chicago — Cicotte and Schalk; Cincinnati — Sallee, Fisher, Luque and Wingo.

Umpires—Rigler, Evans, Quigley and Nallin.

Mock Marriage Proves Real.

An old fashioned game of "forfeits" starts the complications in Will Rogers' new Goldwyn picture "Almost a Husband," by Opie Read, which will be shown at the Empire theatre tonight.

The daughter of the town banker is compelled to "marry" the first man who enters the room. He happens to be the awkward, bashful school teacher to whom she has not even been introduced. A divinty student performs the ceremony and then announces that the marriage is legal. The girl is rather glad, as it will place her beyond the attentions of a rich mule dealer whose hold over her father seems destined to compel her to marry him. However, she decides to remain married; and her sisterly association with the ugly awkward school teacher leads her to refuse his offer of divorce.

The complications of the story give Will Rogers chances to prove himself a real hero in the eyes of the villagers, and finally to win the love of his wife. Peggy Wood, Cullen Landis and Clara Horton play the most important supporting roles with finesse and sympathy.

Killed at Crossing He Opposed.

Lawrence, Kan., Oct. 8.—To be killed on the same grade crossing that he had for years been striving to have abolished was the fate of A. A. Hicks, president of the Douglas county farm bureau. He was struck by a train while watching a child being rescued in front of a train passing on another track. The crossing on which the accident occurred has been the scene of several serious accidents and is the same by which the new fort-to-fort highway will enter Lawrence.

Unoccupied Farm House Burns.

A house that was being repaired and put in readiness for occupancy on the farm of Mrs. Eva Stock, a mile south of St. Patrick's cemetery, southeast of Maryville, burned to the ground last night. It was found completely destroyed this morning. It was a building of three or four rooms that had been moved from the Ogden farm, south of Maryville, and was unoccupied. The Stock farm is the north part of the old Hoshor farm.

Weather for Today

Unsettled weather tonight and Thursday, probably showers; warmer tonight, cooler Thursday afternoon in the northwest portion.

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Money Raised For Pilgrim Fund.

St. Louis, Oct. 4.—Forty-five thousand dollars of Missouri's quota of $88,000 of the $5,000,000 Pilgrim Memorial fund being raised by Congregationalists to commemorate the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers 300 years ago, has already been paid, former mayor Henry Bearsley of Kansas City reported to the Missouri Congregational congress in Webster Groves. It was said that $40,000 is expected from St. Louis Congregational churches, which would almost complete the state's quota. The conference closed Thursday night.

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APPLICATIONS FOR BUILDING 160 MILES OF ROAD APPROVED

State Highway Board Favors Construction Planned; Gravel and Concrete to be the Materials

Jefferson City, Oct. 8 — The state highway board has announced approval of a number of applications for the building of 160 miles of gravel and concrete road at a total cost of $1,[illegible]37 under the state and federal aid law. One of the biggest applications on the list is for the construction of 20.7 miles of concrete road in Buchanan county from St. Joseph to Winthrop, at an estimated cost of $818,661. Other applications approved were: 3.2 miles of concrete road on Kings Highway from Cape Girardeau to cost $102,530; 19.50 miles of gravel road in New Madrid county from Sikeston to New Madrid, estimated cost $191,098; 8.50 miles of gravel in Lewis county on the Red Ball route, both ways from Canton, cost $88,977; 7.70 miles of gravel in Lewis county from Lagrange north, cost $67,579; 8.2 miles of macadam in Montgomery county on the National Old Trails road, from New Florence to Danville, cost $62,043; 4.50 miles of gravel in Hickory county, from Preston west on the Preston-Collins road, cost $15,548; 7.50 miles of gravel in Hickory county from Dallas county north to Cross Timbers on the Springfield-Sedalia road estimated cost $26,389; 8.6 miles of macadam in Gentry county on the Jefferson Highway, both ways from King City, estimated cost $181,537; 20.7 miles of concrete in Buchanan county on the St. Joseph-Atchison road, from St. Joseph to Winthrop, estimated cost $818,661; 9.7 miles gravel in Cedar county, between Eldorado Springs and Stockton, cost $43,678; 10.50 miles gravel in Lawrence county, both ways from Verona, on the Springfield-Monett road, ocst $39,576; 40 miles gravel in Howell county, north and south through the county from Texas county to Oregon county line, cost $186,600; 7.50 miles of graded earth in Randolph county on north State Highway from Huntsville west, cost $49,555; 6.6 miles graded earth in Harrison county on the Jefferson Highway, both ways from New Hampton, cost $65,619.

Protect your Barn with Cooks Prairie red Barn Paint. Gaugh & Evans. tf

Fight on Compensation Law.

Jefferson City, Oct. 6.—The fight to stop the referendum of the workmen's compensation law is to be started immediately and efforts will be made to obtain an immediate decision. Tom Dumm of Jefferson City was appointed special master in chancery to take testimony in the case, despite the vigorous opposition from John M. Atkinson and Morris J. Cassidy, who are fighting the law. The motion for a special master in chancery was made by an attorney for the Missouri federation of labor. It is hoped to have the case finally disposed of by the fall term of the supreme court, if appeal is taken.

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Distinguished Guests for Boston.

Boston, Oct. 4.—Boston is host today to Cardinal Mercier, the Belgian prelate. Tomorrow King Albert, Queen Elizabeth, Prince Leopold and the Belgian royal suite will arrive here. The distinguished visitors will attend solemn high mass, to be celebrated at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross tomorrow.

PROSPERITY WAVE IS SHOWN BY AN INCREASE IN PROFITS

State Banks in Missouri in Year Add a Hundred Million, Largest Percentage on Record

Jefferson City, Oct. 8. — That Missouri is enjoying a great wave of prosperity is shown by figures given out at the office of the state bank commissioner. Between June 23, 1918, and August 28, 1919, there was an increase in deposits in banking institutions operating under the state laws of $100,410,023.41, the greatest percentage increase on record.

Total resources of the 1,356 incorporated state banks, 87 trust companies and 4 private banks amount to $85,278,111.54, and outstanding loans, $5,786,056.23.

Bonds and stocks held by the institutions amounted to $4,983,113.26 and cash and sight drafts $25,555,747.26.

Would Organize Tenants' Union.

St. Louis, Oct. 4.—A gigantic union of tenants is in prospect in St. Louis with the object in view of curbing rent profiteers. Dr. R. L. Williams, irate because his rent had been raised 33 1-3 per cent, sounded the call for a combine of rent payers. The idea has spread, Dr. Williams said, and now tenants are in a mood to take definite action. "We must organize and employ legal aid to curb profiteering by landlords," Dr. Williams declared. "There seems to be a union of landlords who are raising their rents, so why shouldn't the tenants organize?"

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We want the good will of every car owner in this town.

We want everyone to say what lots of folks say now—"Willard? That's where you get a square deal and value for every dollar."

We'd rather have your good will than an extra dollar or two on a repair job.

We'd rather sell you a battery that will give longer and better service than to make a living by repairing poor batteries.

Of course *good* repair work and *good* batteries cost more, but we believe they make friends and buy good will.

Let's get together.

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Talk about adventures!

Men in the Navy come home with the kind of experiences that most chaps read of only in the books.

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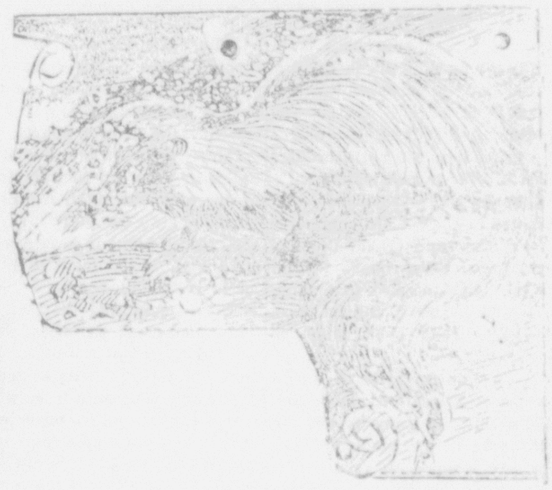

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Next Friday and Saturday

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FURS MADE IN EVERY CONCEIVABLE STYLE.

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The Store That Is Anxious To Please You.

Sin Is the Cause of All Our Ills, According to Baptist Evangelist

Last night at the Baptist church Evangelist G. E. Kennedy spoke from the text "The Wages of Sin is Death," showing the two extremes of life and death, Heaven and Hell. He showed the importance of keeping abreast of the times in modern life with the best there was to offer in civilization.

Rev. Kennedy said: "Live men who are interested in the best in commerce will get together and travel far and near to talk about good roads. O, that we have the same interest in making a good road to heaven! Sin makes a hard miserable road over which to travel.

"Sin is anything which is unlike Christ, whether we call it sin or not. Some folks think a thing is not sin unless it hurts their conscience—unless they are steeped in immorality. Every sin is a blow at the authority of God and His sovereignty. It is sin that fills our insane asylums, our orphanages, the juvenile courts.

"No man has a right to set up his own standards. He must accept the standards of God.

"We have certain rights. But other men have rights, too, that we must not encroach on. In Iowa a farmer is fined for allowing the Canadian thistle to grow on his farm. He must not jeopardize other men's farms.

"There never would have been 350 divorce cases in the Kansas City divorce courts yesterday had there not been a beginning of sin in the homes. Sin fills the divorce courts.

"How my heart goes out to the boys and girls who are running the streets of our towns at night, and numberless boys and girls who have thrown off the restraint of home to have a good time!

"A man never justifies lying until he is a liar at heart; a man never justifies immorality till he is immoral in his heart and thoughts.

"Many a man wants to be saved from sin, but he wants to get it in his own way. He wants to earn it. That will never do. I have heard men boast that they were better than some men and that they stood a better chance to be saved. No, no. If the price of admission is 50 cents to an entertainment and I have 15 cents and you have 45 cents, you can't get in any quicker than I. If some friend should come and pay the price of a ticket, we both could go in.

"That's the way Christ says it must be done. We must all go into heaven at the expense of another. You will have to go to heaven on the merits of Jesus Christ."

HAD TO MUFFLE THE TELEPHONE

Mrs. Swanson's Nerves Were Upset From Years of Trouble—Gains 20 Pounds

"For the benefit of the thousands who are suffering from stomach trouble and a run down condition I want to tell of the wonderful results I have gotten from the use of Tanlac," said Mrs. Lena Swanson of 1720 North Madison street, Peoria, Illinois, in relating her remarkable experience with the medicine, a few days ago.

"My friends are simply amazed," she continued. "They all say I am now the picture of health. Why, just today, one of my friends told me I was looking ten years younger, and I certainly do feel that way, too. I have already gained twenty pounds in weight and have just finished my fifth bottle of Tanlac.

"It was eight years ago, or more that my stomach got out of order and my health began to fail. I finally got to feeling so badly that I lost interest in everything, gave up my church work, and found little pleasure in life. My food acted like poison to my system. I would bloat up with gas until I did not look natural and just suffer agony. My heart would flutter from the effects of this gas and weaken me until I would almost faint. I would get so dizzy at times that the house seemed to be whirling around. No one knows, unless they have suffered the same way, how miserable I did feel. I at last got to where I had to almost stop eating and became so run down and weak it was all I could do to get about the house. My nerves were so shattered that the least noise would upset me. I finally had to muffle the telephone, as I would almost jump out of my chair when it rang. I slept but little at night and seldom woke up in the mornings without a dull, nagging headache.

"My friends would call and sympathize with me, but now they rejoice with me and go' way praising Tanlac. One day my brother ,who had used Tanlac with fine results, brought me a bottle and talked me into trying it. Well, when I finished that bottle my appetite had returned, and I could eat better and sleep better than in years. I didn't feel quite so nervous, either and then I knew I had at last found the medicine I needed. I had been suffering so long and was in such a badly run down condition that it took several bottles of Tanlac to straighten me out, but anyone can can look at me now and see that I am enjoying good health. I can now eat meats, pickle, cabbage, in fact, just anything, and never have the least trouble with my stomach. My nerves are as calm and I sleep as soundly as when a child. I want to tell everybody about Tanlac. I never grow tired praising it to my friends."

"Tanlac is sold in Maryville by Koch Pharmacy, in Conception Junction by A. M. Colly, in Pickering by H. M. Lincoln, in Burlington Junction by Coster Pharmacy, in Barnard by Bear Drug Co., in Elmo by Kidg Drug Co., in Clearmont by Dr. W. H. Wiley, in Ravenwood by C. A. Shunk, in Arkoe by Rufus R. Smith, in Hopkins by Hopkins Drugs Co., and in Parnell by F. L. Hart." ADV.

Scott Snively in St. Joseph Market.

A. S. Snively of Sheridan, Wyo., is in South St. Joseph with several car loads of cattle. Mr. Snively used to live at Maryville, Mo., and was one of the early settlers of Wyoming. He is seventy-four years old.—St. Joseph News-Press.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

YOU CAN CAN WITHOUT SUGAR, ADVICE OF U. S. GOVERNMENT

Don't Let Fruit Go to Waste; It Can Be Sweetened Later, Says the Department of Agriculture

Don't let surplus fruit go to waste because you cannot obtain sugar to use for preserving purposes. Fruit can be successfully canned without it and it can be sweetened when served next winter, or syrup can be used in place of sugar to sweeten it now.

To can without sugar, simply fill the jars containing the fruit with clean, hot water, instead of the usual syrup, and process the jars in a hot water bath. The fruit will not spoil, but it will not have quite as fine a flavor and color as that which is pacek in syrup.

Directions for canning by the "cooked-in-the-can" method should be carefully followed to can successfully without sugar, the United States department of agriculture suggests.

Fruits canned without sugar are especially good in salads, desserts, pi fillings, ices and in fruit punches. They can also be made into jams and marmalades when sugar is obtainable. Fruit juices take no syrup and their uses are just as varied during the winter season as are the fruits put up unsweetened. These fruit juices are also available for jelly at a future time when sugar is more plentiful. Vegetables need no sugar, and plenty of canned vegetables are always acceptable during the winter months.

Fruit and vegetables may be high and sugar scarce, but the margin of difference in price between the home canned and the commercially canned product is likely to be as great as when both fresh fruit and vegetables and canned goods were lower in price. The wise are still practicing home canning, sugar or no sugar.

Missouri Women Into Politics.

St. Louis, Oct. 8.—For the first time in the history of Missouri, women will be looked to for active participation in a presidential election during the coming fight. An invitation has been sent to the women members of the executive committee of the St. Louis Democratic league, and to members of the Democratic state committee auxiliary, to attend the meeting of the state Democratic committee at Jefferson City, October 12, when preliminary plans for the presidential campaign in the state will be formulated, according to a letter from State Chairman Ben Neale to Gaty Pallon, secretary of the Democratic league of St. Louis.

Bean Weighs Nearly 8 Pounds.

Manhattan, Kan., Oct. 8. — W. K. Wood, a farmer living in Zenadale township, has brought to town a bean measuring thirty-four inches long and weighing seven and one-half pounds. The monster bean is of the Guinea variety and the seeds cost one dollar each.

Protect your Barn with Cooks Prairie red Barn Paint. Gaugh & Evans. tf

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PRESIDENT OF IRELAND WILL VISIT ST. JOSEPH IN OCTOBER

Sunday, the 26th, Set as the Date; Will Speak in Auditorium; Frank P. Walsh to be There, too

St. Joseph, Oct. 8.—Eamonn De Valera, president of the Irish Republic, will speak in the Auditorium here at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, October 26. Preparations for the meeting are now being made, and the committee on arrangements expects fore than 7,000 people to hear the speaker. The arrangements here are in charge of some of the most prominent people of the city, and represent all classes, creeds and nationalities.

Frank P. Walsh, former member of the National War Labor Board, and internationally known as a fighter for a just cause, accompanies President De Valera. He will deliver an address. He was a member of a commission which made a tour of Ireland, investigating conditions there. He will tell some of his impressions in his speech.

Special excursion rates are being arranged for visitors who live within a radius of 100 miles of St. Joseph, and in some cases special cars will be put on regular trains to accommodate the visitors. Rates will be announced later. The committee will arrange for quartering the visitors during their stay.

The following executive committee has been named: Thomas J. Lysaght, chairman; Geo. Campbell, Thos. F. Ryan, C. A. Battreall, Wm. H. Curtin, James W. Mytton, Thomas Norton, A. B. Duncan, James D. Baker, Edw. C. Burke, E. J. Byrne, Thos. I. Waldron, A. W. Thomson, E. M. Eagan, Stephen A. Tooey, John T. Dawson, M. J. Kennedy, Martin Shea and J. L. Wines.

Committee on arrangements for nearby towns—Thomas Fitzgerald, Hemple, Mo.; E. A. Allgaier, Easton, Mo., P. J. O'Malley, Plattsburg, Mo.; Thos. M. Downey, Stewartsville, Mo.; Thos. Cummins, Maryville, Mo.; Robert Graham, Clyde, Mo.; Michael F. Quigley, Atchison ,Kan.; Edward Heeney, Severance, Kan.; Thomas O'Byrne, Sabetha, Kan.; Thos. Barberry, Seneca, Kan.; John Fitzgerald, Beattie, Kan.; Jos. Sweeney, Hurlinger, Mo.; John Morley, Severance, Kan.; Michael Moore, Cameron, Mo.

HE EXAMINED J. J. PERSHING IN WEST POINT COMPETITION

Prof. G. A. Smith Will be Honored Guest at Celebration Laclede Is Planning to Welcome General

Chillicothe, Mo., Oct. 8.—One of the honored guests at the reception which Laclede is planning for its most famous native son—General Pershing—will be Prof. G. A. Smith, who was chairman of the committee which examined the commander in chief of the A. E. F. thirty-eight years ago for appointment to the West Point military academy.

Professor Smith, who was then superintendent of public schools in Trenton, feels very proud of having headed the board which picked Pershing from the list of candidates for that especial appointment. He recalls that the nearest competitor Pershing had was Samuel P. Davisson of Gainesville, who later entered politics and became asenator.

Davisson missed tying the youthful Pershing by one point—that of a physical defect. He later married the daughter of the late Congressman Joseph H. Burrows of Cainesville, who had selected Pershing and Davisson as candidates for the appointment.

He's a Friend to Skunks.

Mexico, Mo., Oct. 8.—All this talk about skunks having to be handled at long range is buncomb, according to Perlie Oliver, a Mexico electrician, who is raising six baby skunks with the intention of making "mousers" out of them. However, Oliver puts emphasis on one precaution. That is, "Don't frighten 'em." Oliver's pets are now several months old and are growing rapidly. He declares a cat hasn't a "look in" compared to a skunk when it comes to catching mice.

QUICK RELIEF FROM CONSTIPATION

Get Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That is the joyful cry of thousands since Dr. Edwards produced Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards, a practicing physician for 17 years and calomel's old-time enemy, discovered the formula for Olive Tablets while treating patients for chronic constipation and torpid livers.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do not contain calomel, but a healing, soothing vegetable laxative.

No griping is the "keynote" of these little sugar-coated, olive-colored tablets. They cause the bowels and liver to act normally. They never force them to unnatural action.

If you have a "dark brown mouth"—bad breath—a dull, tired feeling—sick headache—torpid liver—constipation, you'll find quick, sure and pleasant results from one or two of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets at bedtime.

Thousands take them every night just to keep right. Try them. 10c and 25c.

MEDICAL CORPS OF ARMY MADE GOOD

WAS MUCH MORE EFFECTIVE THAN IN OTHER WARS

EPIDEMICS STAMPED OUT

Incomplete Report of Work in Europe Shows That U. S. Service Was the Best Among the Allies

Washington, Oct. 8.—Because of the unusually high standard of health maintained in the army both at home and abroad the annual report of the surgeon general is awaited here with considerable interest. This report will give, it is expected, the final figures compiled by the medical department on the results of its work since the organization of our world war forces. Some of the figures already compiled show that the work of the American medical corps not only far exceeded its own record in past wars, but was probably without parallel even among the armies of our allies and enemies in this war.

Medical men and professional soldiers all over the country are enthusiastic over the advancement in medico-military science that that has been brought about since the Spanish and Civil wars. Only one of the several epidemics that attacked our army left any great impression, the Spanish influenza, or "flu" with which the Grim Reaper swept not only the military but to an even larger extent the civil populations of the enemy, our allies and ourselves. This was an unexpected havoc, that might have exacted an even greater toll but for the fact that the organized medical corps was in a position to check it and issue information and instructions for helping the civilian public to combat it.

Steps Taken Promptly.

When it was discovered that the new epidemic was abroad the medical corps at once ordered the quarantine of all army camps where "flu" was prevalent so that soldiers might not carry the disease to their friends in the cities. It then opened special hospitals and segregated the sick soldiers in the camps to avoid infecting their fellow soldiers and it opened special hospitals in the cities, to which were assigned army nurses, doctors and soldiers to care for the civilian population.

In France the men were hardened and more resisting, also more rigorous in military discipline, with the result that when regulations went down it was an easy matter to scotch out the "flu" so that the American army suffered less than the forces of the enemy from the same malady.

Of the other epidemics, measles, scarlet fever, pneumonia and meningitis were the only ones that prevailed to any extent and these were so well stamped out during the early organization of the army that they reappeared only to a negligible extent afterwards and were always under control. The dreaded typhoid, typhus fever, menacing malaria were hardly eligible to be listed as prevalent diseases, there being only 297 cases of typhoid and only 23 deaths resulting from it during 1917, the only year for which figures are so far available.

Death Rate Much Lower.

If the death rate from typhoid fever had been as great in the army during 1917 as during the Spanish-American war for each million men in the service there would have been 140,00 cases, resulting in 14,000 deaths from this disease alone. The average annual strength of the army for 1917, a particularly dangerous time when the men were being gathered into cantonments and camps from all walks of life, was 678,579. Based on the record for the Spanish war this should have meant that there would be 95,000 cases of typhoid, with 9,500 deaths resulting, instead of 297 cases and 23 deaths, as actually occurred. The Spanish war ratio would also have meant 56,000 deaths from typhoid alone out of our entire army, greater than the total number of actual battle casualties.

At the outbreak of the war our army medical authorities realized that acute respiratory diseases would be the greatest factors in morbidity and mortality. The surgeon general, to preserve the health of the army, insisted that each soldier be allowed at least 45 feet of floor space and 500 cubic feet of air space in his living quarters. Because of the urgent necessity of assembling, organizing and equipping as large a force as possible in a given period it was necessary to overcrowd the camp facilities. Health conditions might have attained an even higher standard had it been possible at that time to delay, to go slower in forming the army, but the loss on the battlefield would have been many times what the sick and death totals in the cantonments amounted to. Throughout the entire war the death and sick rate in the army was kept at a figure considerably below that which obtained among civilian populations.

Marked Advance Shown.

On a whole the comparison with other American wars shows a marked advance in military disease prevention. None of the diseases of 1861 show a marked increase in the recent war, although pneumonia was much more apt to attack our forces in the late embroglio than in the Civil war days. On the other hand, improved sanitation methods have greatly decreased diseases and disease danger.

Diarrhoea and dysentry were reduced from 244,000 cases in the Civil war to 11,000 in the late war by fighting the fly. Typhoid innoculation and the anti-fly and antimosquito campaign made typhoid almost as negligible a disease as smallpox. Malaria was reduced from 167,000 to less than 2,000, due to the elimination of mosquito-breeding areas. Mouth and throat diseases and infections have been reduced one-third on the Civil war figures by better ventilation, preventing of crowding and spitting and the isolation of carriers. Over a period from July to December of 1918 improved sanitation brought about a reduction of nearly a half a million cases of disease and the rescuing of nearly 10,000 lives of soldiers. Of deaths in 1917 there were 2,984 among enlisted men in the United States. For the same army strength during the Civil war there were 13,959 deaths.

Did Not Stop With Armistice.

The work of the medical corps of the army did not stop with the signing of the armistice. There was the great work of resporation and rehabilitation of the men injured during the war to be accomplished. At the outset of the war the medical corps was jumped from a personnel of 833 surgeons and doctors, 86 dentists, 62 veterinarians 181 contract surgeons and 403 nurses to 30,591 doctors and surgeons, 4,620 dentists, 2,002 veterinarians, 939 contract surgeons and 21,480 nurses. In addition there were two new services created, the sanitary corps with 2,919 officers, and the ambulance service with 209 officers, and the enlisted personnel of the medical corps was expanded from 6,619 on April 1, 1917, to 281,341 on November 15, 1918.

Three nurses were wounded in action and 266 died during the war. In all there were 10,245 nurses in the service overseas.

In spite of some partisan criticism the army is going ahead with the rehabilitation of the wounded soldiers, sailors and marines. A great deal of valorous work was done during the war by the officers and enlisted personnel of the corps, but the greatest asset that has developed to the country and civilization from their work has been the detail with which data and experience has been collected and compiled. In the case of limb or nerve treatment alone the medical profession has had a better opportunity for observation during the recent war than would be available to it in half a century through industrial and other peace time accidents and diseases. The result of all these observations will be placed at the disposal of the medical profession and great advances in treatments and methods are expected as a result of the work of the military doctors.

WOMEN BACKING THE SOLDIER BOYS

When the history of the war has been written, the work done by the women at home will impress itself upon this nation as few even now realize. Literally millions of women left their homes and took up war activities into which women had never before been called ,and many more at home devoted long hours at work in knitting and preparing surgical dressings for the boys "over there." Some may have worked at the expense of health and are now suffering from headaches, backache, dragging-down pains or some derangement. It should be remembered that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for more than forty years has been restoring such women to health and strength, and is now recognized as a standard remedy. (Adv)

St. Louis Sugar Bowl Vanishes.

St. Louis, Oct. 8.—The public sugar bowl is disappearing. Restaurants are reverting to the war-time sugar rationing system because of an alleged present scarcity.

HEAL SKIN DISEASES

Apply Zemo, Clean, Penetrating, Antiseptic Liquid

It is unnecessary for you to suffer with eczema, blotches, ringworm, rashes and similar skin troubles. Zemo, obtained at any drug store for 35c or $1.00 for extra large bottle, and promptly applied will usually give instant relief from itching torture. It cleanses and soothes the skin and heals quickly and effectively most skin diseases.

Zemo is a wonderful, penetrating, disappearing liquid and is soothing to the most delicate skin. It is not greasy, is easily applied and costs little. Get it today and save all further distress.

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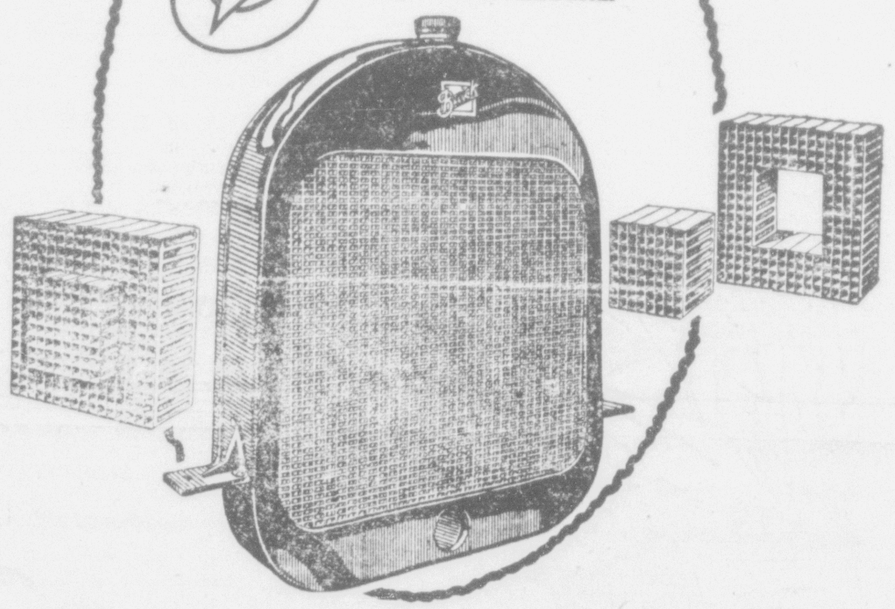

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A small leak may be plugged up temporarily with anything that is convenient until the proper time comes to remove the radiator for repair.

If the leak is a large one, the affected area may be cut out entirely and a new repair section fitted into place in such a manner as to avoid detection, without interfering in any way with the circulation or cooling properties. This is distinctly a Buick feature.

As will be seen from the sectional photograph shown, this leaves all of the vertical tubes in exactly the same condition as they were before the section was put in, and does away entirely with an unsightly repair job, reduced circulation space or the cost of a new radiator.

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Ask Any BUICK Owner---He Knows

Geo. McMurry

REALIZED AVERAGE OF $78.63 AT HIS FIRST SALE OF HOGS

M. A. Gray's Spotted Poland-Chinas Sold Well in Auction at His Farm Northwest of Barnard.

M. A. Gray, living six miles northwest of Barnard, realized an average price of $78.63 an animal for his spotted Poland-Chinas at his first sale, held a week ago yesterday, as reported in Maryville by R. P. Hosmer, who was the auctioneer. The sale receipts totaled $3,077. 50.

The following prices were paid:

Boar—Henry Field Seed Co., Shenandoah, Ia.	$ 40.00
Boar—Henry Field Seed Co., Shenandoah, Ia.	52.50
Boar—Henry Field Seed Co., Shenandoah, Ia.	62.50
Boar—Henry Field Seed Co., Shenandoah, Ia.	70.00
Boar—A. M. Sutton, Barnard	70.50
Boar—M. T. Dakan, Skidmore	60.00
Boar—W. J. Carmichael, Barnard	80.00
Boar—Will Dysart, Bolckow	70.00
Boar—Oliver McNeal, Skidmore	72.50
Boar—Reed Dysart, Graham	70.00
Boar—H. R. Council, Graham	85.00
Boar—W. W. Craig, Bolckow	95.00
Gilt—Henry Field Seed Co., Shenandoah, Ia.	55.00
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Gilt—Henry Field Seed Co., Shenandoah, Ia.	65.00
Gilt—Henry Field Seed Co., Shenandoah, Ia.	75.00
Gilt—Judge Hayworth, Barnard	70.00
Gilt—F. W. Goff, Barnard	65.00
Gilt—Henry Field Seed Co., Shenandoah, Ia.	67.50
Gilt—F. W. Goff, Barnard	72.50
Gilt—Henry Field Seed Co., Shenandoah, Ia.	70.00
Gilt—F. W. Goff, Barnard	67.50
Gilt—Warren Stanton, Bolckow	75.00
Gilt—Henry Field Seed Co., Shenandoah, Ia.	60.00
Gilt—F. W. Goff, Barnard	72.50
Gilt—Henry Field Seed Co., Shenandoah, Ia.	67.50
Gilt—F. W. Goff, Barnard	62.50
Gilt—Judge Hayworth, Barnard	70.00
Gilt—Judge Hayworth, Barnard	75.00
Gilt—Barber & Williams, Skidmore	50.00
Sow and 6 pigs—Henry Field Seed Co., Shenandoah, Ia.	120.00
Sow and 8 pigs—Barber & Williams, Skidmore	132.50
Sow and 4 pigs—Jacob Eckles, Graham	140.00
Sow and 4 pigs—Henry Seipel, Skidmore	125.00
Sow and 8 pigs—Barber & Williams, Skidmore	140.00
Sow and 5 pigs—Barber & Williams, Skidmore	125.00
Sow and 8 pigs—Barber & Williams, Skidmore	202.50
Lame Boar—C. E. Dawson, Skidmore	57.50
	$3077.50

NCREASE IN TAX VALUATION NOTED IN MISSOURI FOR 1919

otal Is $2,493,529,036; 20 Per Cent Boost In Real Estate, 12 Per Cent In Corporations

Jefferson City, Oct. 8.—Increases of pproximately 20 per cent on real state and about 12 per cent on corporation property is shown in the valation of taxable property in the state, s fixed by the state board of equaliation.

Total valuation of the state's taxae property is placed at $2,493,529,036 s a basis for taxing for the current ear. This is an increase in valuaon of $390,845,053 over last year. he total valuation placed on real tate and personal property is placed $2,271,205,052 and on public service rporations at $222,323,052, an inease of $373,120,464 on real and pernal property and $17,724,589 on corrations over last year.

Valuation on steam railroads is ineased $13,628,273, and street railys $2,295,867. Heavy increases on ephone and telegraph companies d corporation bridges are also noted.

Reptiles Craze in British Society.

London, Oct. 8.—The latest high soty craze for thrills, as well, perps, as for publicity, is reptiles. To ove it, a weekly journal publishes Barnum-like photograph on page e. The Hon. Mrs. Macalister is own with a snake curled lovingly und her neck and fondling a baby codile.

Dentist Makes Teeth For Old Dog.

Kansas City, Oct. 8.—In answer to advertisement requesting a loan of toothless dog," inserted by Ralph rdin, a veterinary surgeon, Jack lagher, a member of the Kansas Kennel Club, delivered to Doctor rdin a Scotch collie which possessed two teeth, one on each side. Har- with the assistance of a dentist, le a set of teeth for the dog. Acding to observers the new teeth

ONE SOLDIER JINXED HIS JINX; 13 MEANS NOTHING IN HIS LIFE

Discharge on the 13th of June Made Everything All Right, He Declares; Never Worried Him

Carthage, Mo., Oct. 8.—Claude Carrol of Jasper county has jinxed the jinx numeral "13." He says so himself, in reciting his war record, in which "13" dominated. Here it is:

Claude's serial number was 3233013; he was assigned to the 313th Engineers and was trained in cantonment No. 13 at Camp Dodge, Iowa. There were 13 ships in the convoy in which he crossed to France, and they were 13 days making the trip. His outfit landed at dock No. 13 in Liverpool, and there were 13 men in the billet to which Carrol was assigned at one place at the front; he was 13 days in his first camp in France. Thirteen of his company comrades died of the "flu."

Carrol doesn't thing the numeral 13 has been very unlucky for him until that time, although it did act rather as a "jinx" for some of his company. But—

On the 13th of June Carrol turned in his equipment and was handed his discharge.

"And that was the jinx that jinxed the jinx for me," he said.

STATE CONVENTION OF LEGION CERSURES WAR DEPARTMENT

Treatment of Conscientious Objectors Too Lenient, Belief of Missourians, Who Ended Meeting Yesterday

Jefferson City, Oct. 8.—A resolution demanding of congress speedy and thorough investigation of the trial, conviction and subsequent release of so-called "conscientious objectors," that laws be enacted to punish or deport these persons, and that officials of the war department, responsible for their "tender" treatment be removed, was adopted by the American Legion, which ended its state convention here yesterday. The resolution further calls upon the war department to recall all honorable discharges given to "conscientious objectors."

"The war department, in contemptuous disregard," the resolution reads, "of the resolutions passed by the national caucus of the American Legion, has permitted certain of the notorious and openly anarchistic conscientious objectors who had been tried and convicted for treachery by a court of competent jurisdiction, to be pardoned, restored to duty, and honorably discharged with all back pay, allowances, a bonus and a new suit of clothes (something not furnished to the soldiers who merely fought for this country). This indefensible conduct on the part of the war department not only has brought shame and discredit to the men who fought to protect this government, but has served to aid, abet and encourage the growing crowd of radical Bolshevists and anarchists who are the avowed enemies of our country, and are a serious menace to our nation."

Sidney Houston of Kansas City was elected first state president of the American Legion. Other officers elected were: Conrad Clayton, Hannibal, vice commander; Edward J. Cahill, Jefferson City, adjutant; J. E. Kinkade, Cornfelt, finance officer; J. C Houston, Troy, historian; J. E. Reiger, Kirksville, chaplain; Jack Williams, Joplin, master-at-arms.

Kansas City was chosen as state headquarters of the legion. Sedalia was chosen as the 1920 convention city and St. Louis endorsed for the national convention of 1920.

Two resolutions asking federal and state compensation for the veterans of the war with Germany were adopted yesterday.

The first calls upon the United States to provide additional compensation over the $60 bonus to discharged men, requesting compensation on the same basis as that of Canada. The second requests that the State of Missouri provide additional compensation, equal to that given the veterans of the State of Wisconsin.

Both resolutions carried a clause placing the ex-soldiers on record as objecting to conscientious objectors and slackers participating in national and state legislation, or any compensation given the veterans.

Ray Arnold of St. Joseph will represent the fourth district at the national convention. He is also a member of the state executive committee. The delegates at large are George W. Rouschkolb, Walter F. Farrens, St. Louis; Reddick O'Bryan, Moberly; John W. Hill, Kansas City; H. C. Venable, Galiatin; B. Gleason, Kennett; Franklin Perry, St. Joseph; Harvey C. Clark, Jefferson City; Bennett C. Clark, St. Louis.

Would Move Legion to St. Louis.

St. Louis, Oct. 8.—Efforts to bring the national headquarters of the American Legion to St. Louis will be made by delegates from this city at the November convention of the Legion in Minneapolis.

The Westerner

By Kate Schenck.

A great journalist once said "Go west, young man."

And the young man went.

He did not measure the distance by latitude and longitude.

He went on and on until he came to a place where he saw the wonders of a thousand hills; the immeasurable grandeur and sublimity of the mountains; where the desert lured with its mysticism and relentless solitude; where green valleys were laid like costly rugs for his feet to tread upon; where he heard the symphonic chorus of rustling leaves and mountain streams and torrents.

He had reached the west.

And from the hill-tops he visioned an Arcadia where all men were equal, where no tongue gave voice, and no hand was raised, against another.

From the majesty of the mountains, he took a steadfastness and courage that carried his ideals high and ahead, like the brazen serpent of old, for all men to see.

He found the gold of the desert and it was minted into the fineness of soul that lost in love the faults of an erring brother.

In the valley he gained the wealth of the world—a kinship with all living things and with Him who created them.

And the harmonies of forest and waters were blended into gracious and generous spirit that made glad always the stranger within the gates. And he became—

The Westerner.

Social, Clubs Churches

Westminster Guild.

The first meeting of the year of the Westminster Guild was held last night at the home of Miss Nell Hudson. During the business meeting officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Miss Hudson, president, and Miss Helen Todd, vice president. Miss Hudson succeeds Miss Mabel Wells, who is teaching in the Coffeyville, Kan., High school. The president appointed Miss Margaret Lee Winston as chaplain, and Miss Jennie Evans, pianist. Miss Ora Eckles and Miss Hudson were in charge of the program. There were twenty members and three visitors, Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve, Mrs. J. S. Van Cleve and Mrs. W. H. Hudson present. The Guild will hold its next meeting with Miss Eckles.

Elaborate Dinner For Sissons.

A beautiful and elaborate dinner was given last night at 8 o'clock at the New Linville Hotel by Miss Bertha Beal for Mr. and Mrs. N. Paul Sisson, who have recently returned from their honeymoon trip to Colorado. Bridal effects were carried out in the decorations and service. The table was centered with a bride's shower bouquet of pink and white roses, with the showers extended the length of the table, tied at intervals with lilies of the valley. Crystal candlesticks holding white unshaded tapers were placed among the showers. The place cards were hand-painted bridesmaids with vari-colored tulle trimmed hats, that of the bride having the tulle veil. Soft music from the Schumacher orchestra, with special solo numbers in voice and violin by Frank Schumacher and Ralph Yehle, was enjoyed. Just as the guests were leaving the table, George Robb Ellison presented, in a most fitting manner, the bouquet to Mrs. Sisson.

Those in attendance were the members of the set in which Mr. and Mrs. Sisson have gone since their early school days, and were as folows: Mr. and Mrs. Luther E. Forsyth, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand M. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eversole, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Keck, Dr. and Mrs. Charles T. Bell, Dr. and Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., Mrs. Ike Thomas Pryor of Fort Stockton, Tex., Miss Carrie Margaret Baker, George Robb Ellison, James Todd, E. E. Williams, A. Neil Somerville, Dr. E. C. Braniger and Dr. Frank C. Wallis.

M. I. Circle.

Mrs. George Moore was hostess at the meeting of the M. I. Circle yesterday afternoon, when Mrs. W. A. Bailey was the leader of the program on "Colonial Times." The devotions were led by Mrs. Walter Mutz. The leader read the following paper on "Liberty Given us by our Ancestors:"

"What a host of memories rise like the spirits of departed to the memory of the patriot of today, as his eye turns back through the long vista of years and retraces the steps by which the inestimable blessings of our country have been procured and perpetuated. The hardships and trials of our brave and heroic ancestors and the trials of our persecuted, but firm and patriotic rulers has been the means, under the invisible agency of the Ruler of the Universe, of doing this, and upon looking back we are constrained to acknowledge that, however we may have differed upon subjects of national policy or internal regulations, we have, on the whole, perhaps we may say invariably been governed by a set of rulers such as the world never saw before. We never could attained our present position had that not been the case. Let us then honor the dead and cherish the living and seek rather to strengthen by our prayers than disturb by our fault finding. What must have been the feelings of our forefathers when the Declaration of Independence was read from the balcony of every statehouse in the country? What, in the region, when Washington, himself, on the opposite shore of Long Island, at the head of his army? On Long Island the army was called out and it was read to them on the beach. It was in fact America's proudest day, the day to her "for which all other days were made." How beat the loyal hearts, how swelled the patriotic bosoms when America, for the first time, avowed her determination before the whole world "never to lay down her arms until these United States should be free sovereign and independent. A nation in its infancy dares to throw off the yoke of bondage, a nation, that has only a few raw and undisciplined soldiers, offers to cope with the most powerful kingdom in Europe, with a warlike and a war-trained people, a people of old, mighty in arms, great in arts, and seeking to extend her dominion from sea to sea and from shore to shore. America, with a line of sea coast altogether undefended against a mighty naval armament, and a huge and impenetrable forest at the rear, filled with avaricious and bloodthirsty savages, whom the least bribe would at once turn upon her with the merciless scalping knife and exterminating tomahawk. Without the alliance or countenance of any other nation, the solemn appeal was made, relying wholly on the justice and righteousness of her cause. What shout is that, that seems to rend the sky? That comes booming over the waters, swelling on the waves and sweeping over the shores until all the little islands around seem to catch the glad tidings and echo back the joyful notes? What motley assembly is that collected on the beach, who throw their hats in the air and brandish their gleaming blades? It is Liberty's last hope. It is the little band of heroes who have commenced the regeneration of a world. The first who have dared to assert the dignity of man, who have scorned the worship of the golden calf and have determined to call no man master on earth, none Lord but the Lord Jehovah. The shout that they sent up that day shall be heard through all the earth, the distant hills shall prolong the echo on every side, the waves of the ocean shall bear it to every land and nations yet unborn, shall rise and call them blessed."

Mrs. R. H. Duncan spoke next on the customs and mode of living in Colonial times and dwelt especially on the cooking phase of the subject. She gave a most interesting paper as did Mrs. J. F. Cook, who talked about the ancient city of Charlestown, telling of the church of St. Michael the Colonial church which President Washington attended. A special pew was set aside for the use of the president, and the church, aside from some additions and improvements, stands today as it did in the olden times.

The meeting was concluded with the critic's report. Mrs. L. R. Holt will be hostess in two weeks to the Circle.

Senior Class Breakfast.

The members of the High School senior class, assisted by their sponsor, Miss Maria Hart, entertained the faculty members at 6 o'clock breakfast this morning in the woods north of the city. About fifty persons were in attendance.

Miss Gingrich Entertains.

Miss Ada Ginrich entertained a number of her friends informally last night at her home, 207 West Seventh street. The guests included Misses Opal Jones, Viola Jones, Leona Jones, Prudye Saunders, Floy Saunders, Dale Skinner and Leora DeShazer.

Biggest Hog Shipment Marketed.

The largest individual hog shipment ever received in the Kansas City market, consiting of 949 hogs, which averaged 280 pounds apiece, a total of 265,720 pounds of pork on the hoof, recently was received from a Livingston county, Missouri, farmer. These porkers had rail service de luxe, as the 16 cars they occupied were handled as a special live stock train. The extra attention accorded this shipment was worth the trouble, as only three hogs, or about three-tenths of 1 per cent, were lost.

"Spooks" Approved, Sir Oliver Moves.

London, Oct. 8.—The "spooks" have approved, and Sir Oliver Lodge is about to move his new house in Wiltshire. Sir Oliver had all plans made to live in a certain house in Hampstead Garden, but a communication from the spirit world advised Lady Lodge that the family had better seek elsewhere for a home. The spirits had no objection to the new house, and the landlord was so pleased with the idea of having Sir Oliver for a tenant that he offered to build on a large library in which the pioneer can continue his delving into the spirit world.

Mrs. James M. Rigney and daughter, Miss Irene Rigney, left this morning for a visit in Kansas City and Hamilton.

Mrs. George Ingerson returned last night from a five weeks visit with relatives in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thomas, Mrs. George Lucas, Miss Mina Armstrong and Mrs. Charles Gallagher and little son, Robert, motored to St. Joseph yesterday to spend the day.

Dr. and Mrs. C. D. Koch are spending two weeks at the home of their son, Adolph Koch, in Harrold, S. Dak.

Mrs. Bernard Dougan and daughter are spending the day in St. Joseph.

A Splendid Opportunity

awaits you to buy furs

All Day Friday, October 10th, 1919

a representative of one of the largest fur houses will display a complete line of furs in our store.

Call and see this large display whether you wish to buy or not.

D. R. Eversole & Son

We've got those Drug Store Things you need.

When you come to US for it you GET it; we've got the goods.

We also give you prompt polite SERVICE when you come to our drug store.

These are two reasons why our business is growing fast. One more reason is this: We charge you only a moderate PRICE.

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GAUGH & EVANS

Hardy Shrubs

of all kinds for fall planting.

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Phones 17. 1001 S. Main St

For Sale-Modern House

7 rooms and bath, cemented basement, enclosed back porch, fine lot, paved street, all kinds fruit trees, berries, grapes etc. This is a well built desirable house and close in.

Will sell worth the money furnished or unfurnished. 222 W. 4th St.

Pictorial Review Patterns

REMUS Mercantile Company

The Store of Low Cash Prices.

New Arrivals in Georgette Waists and Russian Blouses

In all the latest prevailing shades of Navy, Brown, Bisque, Taupe, Nickle, Mahogany, Jay Blue and T-Blue.

This is the most beautiful line of waists we have ever shown and is exceptional in style, quality and workmanship.

These waists are selling at very reasonable prices.

Poor Old Battered Cincinnati Reds! They've Had One Hard, Hard Time

(International News Sport Editor)

The ups and downs of the Cincinnati Reds—the downs in particular—have furnished columns for the sport pages of the country ever since it became apparent that Pat Moran's Reds were destined to cop the National League gonfalon and enter the world's series.

Cincinnati is certainly rich in baseball history. Her great team of 1689, the famous aggregation gotten together by Harry Wright, was the first honest-to-goodness professional team ever recruited. There were many teams playing in various parts of the country east of the Mississippi river prior to that time, but they played baseball purely for the love of the game, and played it in a haphazard fashion.

Harry Wright's famous team made a success of the game professionally. They went on tour and drew big crowds for those days in various cities, and, the best of all, they went through the season without a defeat. Thus the old Red Stockings formed the foundation for the birth of professional baseball teams in other cities and later on for organized leagues for teams such as we have today.

Since the days of those famous Red Stockings of Wright's time a Cincinnati team has won a pennant—but it didn't amount to anything. The Cincinnati team in the American Association of 1882 copped the flag, but the Red Sox of that day in the National League failed to uphold traditions of the once great nine whose name it bore and so since that time until today the Reds have trailed.

League Member 35 Years.

Cincinnati has been a member of the National League for thirty-five years. It was a charter member in 1876, but four years afterward the Reds were kicked out for "various reasons." In 1890 Cincinnati got another franchise. New management and new players, however, failed to lift the Reds out of the rut until this year. Owners managers and players have come and gone for years. Cincy fans have had their hopes built up time after time only to see them go crashing into the depths of repeated defeats.

One Cincinnati team, and only one, has finished as high as second place since 1877. This was the team of 1878, which included Billy White, a pitcher who wore eyeglasses; Deacon Jim White, catcher; Chub Sullivan, first base; Joe Gerhardt, second base; Bill Geer, short; Cal McVey, third base; and Jones, Pike and M. J. Kelly outfielders.

In the years that followed the Cincinnati team finished third in 1896, 1898, 1904 and 1918; fourth in 1896, 1897, 1902, 1903, 1912 and 1917; fifth in 1879, 1892, 1905, 1908 and 1910, and sixth in 1893, 1899, 1906, 1907 and 1911.

John T. Brush, who later owned the Giants, purchased the Reds from Aaron Stern in 1890 and made Tom Loftus manager. Charley Comiskey, whose White Sox meet the Reds for the world's title this year, is a member of the ex-managers' association of the Reds. "Commy" held the reins for three years and was a failure. Then came Buck Ewing, who managed the team for five years. He was followed by Bob Allen, and after one year Biddie McPhee took the management.

One Finished Tenth.

Starting with the season of 1900, when Allen took the reins, the Reds were managed by the following men:

Year	Name	League Standing
1900	Bob Allen	7
1901	Biddie McPhee	8
1902	Biddie McPhee	4
1902	Joe Kelley	4
1904	Joe Kelley	3
1905	Joe Kelley	5
1906	Ned Hanlon	6
1907	Ned Hanlon	6
1908	John Ganzel	5
1909	Clark Griffith	4
1910	Clark Griffith	5
1911	Clark Griffith	6
1912	Hank O'Day	4
1913	Joe Tinker	7
1914	Buck Herzog	8
1915	Buck Herzog	7
1916	Herzog-Matty	8
1917	Matty	4
1918	Matty	3
1919	Pat Moran	1

It is interesting to recall that the team once finished tenth when managed by Comiskey and while playing in a twelve-club circuit. This was in 1894, and Comiskey had a team composed of Chamberlain, Dwyer, Parrott and Tannehill in the box; Murphy, Vaughn and Merritt behind the bat; Comiskey, McPhee, George Smith and Arlie Latham on the infield; and Holliday, McCarthy, Canavan, Hogan and "Dummy" Hoy in the outfield.

Bad breath is a symptom of a disordered stomach, and weak digestion The remedy for it is Prickly Ash Bitters; the medicine for men. It purges the stomach and bowels of fermented food and impurities, purifies the breath, clears the complexion of sallowness and makes you feel fine. Price $1.25 per bottle. Maryville Drug Co., special agents. (Adv).

Cigars Popular in Missouri.

St. Louis, Oct. 4. — Has the cigar supplanted the cigarette in the affection of the wooer of "Lady Nicotine?" Sixty-one million cigars were manufactured in the state of Missouri during the year 1918, according to the report of the internal revenue collector's office, just published, while only 1,566,335 cigarettes were produced during the same period. The report also shows that 78,251,294 pounds of smoking tobacco and chewing tobacco and snuff were produced. Taxes paid on cigars amounted to $7,925,394, on cigarettes $1,886, and on chewing and smoking tobacco and snuff $7,400,155.

Missouri Mules Big Winners.

Fulton, Mo., Oct. 6.—The Missouri mule is holding his own. A team of mules which hailed originally from Warrensburg made the round of big fairs in Kentucky and Tennessee, after cleaning up all prizes at the Missouri State Fair at Sedalia, and made a killing in ribbons. Herbert Morriss, who purchased the pair after the Missouri fair, exhibited them at Paris, Lexington and Louisville, where they won every event in which they entered, including the sweepstakes and championship. Morris has just announced the sale of the pair to a Pennsylvanian for $1500.

Well Known Socialist Dies.

Springfield, Mo., Oct. 4.—N. B. Wilkinson, who was the Socialist candidate for judge of the supreme court at the last election, is dead at his home in Willow Springs at the age of 63 years.

Does your stomach feel bloated after eating? Do you have sour risings, heartburn, spells of dizziness and constipated bowels? If so, Prickly Ash Bitters is the medicine for you. Men who use it find it exactly suited for such disorders. Price $1.25 per bottle. Maryville Drug Co., special agents. (Adv)

DR. JESSIE G. CLARK
Osteopathic Physician
Hours by Appointment
Office over Montgomery Shoe Co., in room f merly occupied by Holmes & Wolfert. Phones Office 683; House 4364. Farmers 206.

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Not 16 cents or 17 cents—

But 15 cents

(½ Actual Size)

What's the use, Folks—What's the Use!

WHY take honest-to-John Tobacco that nature grew for us all—and then "spill the beans" by messing it up with lolly pops?

Velvet isn't fooled with that way.

Velvet has just naturally relied on Nature since it was knee-high to a grasshopper.

First off, it was bred in old Kentucky, wonderland of Tobacco.

Next come, it was cured in the open air, right out with the good ole sunshine. Yes *sir.*

THEN it was gentled along by its lonesome for two years, while it just kind of thought things over and decided to have no bad qualities.

After these two years in wooden hogsheads it was packed in the jolly red tin you see everywhere, if you're not color blind—and we hope you're not.

As Velvet Joe says:

"The way Nature does things is best for man and his tobacco. You can't fool Nature —an' she won't fool you."

FIFTEEN cents seems a pickayune price, doesn't it, after all that?

Can you think, right off, of anything *more* or *better* for a dime and a nickel? And for cigarette smokers—there are 45 mellow cigarettefuls in every Velvet tin.

Velvet sure will be right glad to meet you this very day.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

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IF you buy a tire here, another there, you cannot expect uniform tire mileage and service.

Making Firestone Gray Sidewall Tires standard for your car means you can forget the tire question. And after that decision, the renewal question will come up far less frequently.

You can easily prove this by equipping with Firestones now.

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TIRES
Most Miles per Dollar

F. P. Robinson & Co's. Sale of
Mammoth Poland Chinas
Maryville, Missouri
Friday, October 17, 1919

1:00 P. M. at Gray's Sale Pavilion.

Will offer—I fall yearling boar, 1 fall yearling sow, 41 spring boars, 30 spring gilts.

They are big and stretchy, with very heavy bone, and lots of quality. All bred by us, and from a long line of 900 to 1000 lb boars, and 700 to 800 lb sows.

We have been breeding Polands for 27 years, have never believed in booms or fads, and have always stuck to a type of hog as big as we could get them, and still hold good feeding and quick maturing quality.

They are the kind that will do any farmer or breeder good, and we expect them to sell at prices at which any farmer can own them.

Send at once for our catalogue, and read our unusual mail bid offer.

F. P. Robinson & Co., Maryville, Mo.

Col. R. P. Hosmer—Auctioneer.

Why the Maryville Commercial Club Changed Its Name

DURING the past six months there has appeared at intervals of about a month apart, six full page advertisements in the Maryville papers signed by the Maryville Commercial Club. These advertisements were designed to give information on the value of the products of Nodaway County and its advantages as an agricultural, social and civic community in which to live and enjoy the fruits of industry and enterprise.

What Nodaway County Did

The first of these advertisements told what the county had done in helping to furnish men, money and food to help win the war, of the present development of agriculture in the county and its future possibilities.

The second advertisement went into detail regarding the pure bred live stock industry of the county, naming the various world renowned herds of cattle and hogs in the county and the value of the animals sold at several of the great sales of the year.

The County's Finances

The third advertisement told of the wealth of the county in property and money and gave the combined bank deposits of the county, showing over $9,000,000 on deposit at that time. It not only told what had been done in the production and accumulation of wealth, but what may be done in the future with a capital of millions of dollars and an established farming industry worth millions more.

The fourth advertisement showed the advantages of the various towns and cities of the county as shipping points and a report of the amount of live stock shipped from these stations during the past twelve months, amounting in value to more than $10,000,000.

The fifth advertisement was a review of the public school system of the county and showed the advantages to every citizen of the county of the many fine rural schools, high schools, and the teachers' college at Maryville.

Some things that have widened our vision and increased our scope of usefulness. The End of the Rainbow.

About Community Organizations

The sixth advertisement was a history of the various existing community organizations in the county. It mentioned these community centers and told what they have done toward making the county a better place in which to live.

Besides the information that our own people have received from these series of advertisements there has been a vast amount of publicity given to the county by reason of favorable comment through the columns of the metropolitan press and through magazine articles about the county and about this advertising. But the real thing—that of showing ourselves the advantages that lie all about us and the fact that we are living in the best place in the world, has been accomplished in these six advertisements. But they did one more thing. They showed the Maryville Commercial Club that its scope of usefulness had become wider and more general than before—that it had ceased to be a merchant's association but was really an organization for the advancement of every activity of the entire county. For that reason the name of the club was changed to THE MARYVILLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

"What's in a Name"

The word "commerce" derived from the words "commune" and "merchandise" and first meaning "business intercourse" also means community business, and takes in all business activity, agricultural, industrial and mercantile.

Every citizen of Nodaway County is in reality an agriculturist whether he wishes to be or not, because every interest of the community is based on the success of farming. Whatever is an aid to farming is an aid to every individual in the county whether he is operating a farm, a feed mill or a country store, and for that reason we should all be working for the same purpose—increased farm production.

When people are working for a common cause they should be banded together so that they may accomplish by their combind strength those things that would be impossible to accomplish individually. For that reason the Maryville Chamber of Commerce is reaching out to take an interest in the welfare of every part of Nodaway County and it believes that this interest will sooner or later more closely cement the citizens of the county together for the accomplishment of the greatest benefits in better farming, better roads, better community buildings, better schools, better homes, better churches an da truer, sweeter, happier human existence.

The End of the Rainbow

The pot of gold that will always be at the end of the rainbow is the accomplishment of something just a little better that we have ever done, with never absolute satisfaction, but with always a goal a little further on—one we can never quite reach but one that we must forever strive for and forever see through the power of a vision that will never let us perish.

THE MARYVILLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Pickering Seventh Grade Pupil Tells How Milk Stool Was Made

The following essay on her work was written by Crystal Copeland, a pupil of the seventh grade in the Pickering schools, whose teacher is Miss Crystal Everhart. This essay was written as a language lesson and is intended to show the correlation of the language work with the vitalized agriculture work. It was selected as typical of the work being done.

AN UP TO DATE MILK STOOL.

In vitalized agriculture, Mr. Cooper, our county superintendent ,and several of the teachers decided on several things for the pupils of the schools to make. The first thing outlined for us to do was to make a milk stool.

Of course, we were all interested in vitalized agriculture, so we wanted to make the milk stool.

This milk stool has many advantages over the old fashioned milk stool.

It is much handier than the old one-legged milk stool, as it has a plac for the milk bucket to sit and a seat for you to sit on.

If you set the milk bucket on th stool it will not be all over dirt, an that will keep the dirt from being carried into the house on the milk pail.

It also saves holding the milk bucke while you are milking.

The first to be done when started to make this milk stool was to make a plan for the milk stool.

Before we could do much with the stool we would know how to make it. We drew the plan on the blackboard, then each one of us drew a plan. Then we figured on the amount of lumber we would need to make the stools. The amount of lumber required for one stool was as folows: One board four foot by one foot by one inch for the seat and top board; one board there foot by four foot by one inch to fasten legs on the stool; one board three foot by two inches by two inches for the legs.

The back legs are twelve inches long, two by two inches suare. The front leg is ten inches long and two by two inches square.

Then a committee of boys was appointed to go out and get the lumber.

We had to have some tools to work with, so certain ones agreed to bring a hammer and saw. When we got the saws some of them were so dull we had to have them sharpened. Then each one chose a partner to help make a milk stool. There were an even number of us, so each one had a partner. Then we started to work making the milk stool.

It was my first time at working at anything like that, so it was quite new to me. Some of us had never used a saw before, so it was quite funny to watch them begin. We sawed the top board and the seat first, then we sawed the boards that hold the legs on to the top. The legs were the next thing to be sawed. Then we put the stool together. Some of us had a hard time getting the stool together.

This closes our first week in vitalized agriculture. And I have no bruises made by hitting my fingers with the hammer as some of the other girls hame.

And the milk stools are now on sale at Wolfers' store for one dollar each.

M. U. Custom May Be Changed.

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 8.—The right of the engineering students at the University of Missouri to paddle all students of other branches who walked on the grass of the campus is hanging in the balance. In former years the embryo engineers have been greatly in the majority, but this season the law and commercial branches almost equal them in strength and a vote is being taken among all students to determine whether the engineers shall be allowed to continue this time-honored practice. The present agitation was brought on, it is said, by the sending of two students to the hospital, one suffering from "nerves" and the other with an injured hand, as a result of the practice.

May Strike for Hot Baths.

St. Louis, Oct. 8. — Inmates of the city infirmary have organized a union and a strike for hot baths is threatened. The principal cause of complaint, according to Hospital Commissioner Shutt, was the lack of hot baths in the institution and a leaky roof. Following the organization of the union, carpenters were hurried to the institution to repair the roof, but nothing has been done about the baths as yet.

Students of 13 Nations at M. U.

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 8.—The Cosmopolitan Club of the University of Missouri will entertain its new foreign members here in the near future. The club now represents thirteen nationalities: England, France, Russia, America, Bolivia, Korea, Japan, Hawaii, Argentina, the Philippines, Switzerland, Canada and China.

Poultry Culls Lay No Eggs.

A flock of Rhode Island Reds was culled for Robert Carpenter, DeKalb county, by the county agent. Sixty-one hens were sold and Mr. Carpenter gathered more eggs the next day from the remainder of the flock than he had previously gathered from the entire flock in one day. From V. R. Brand's flock 66 hens were culled, and these laid one egg in four days. Mrs. Mott's flock was culled. The 99 hens culled laid two eggs in four days. In Perry county, the agent has handled 8,932 hens and more than half, or 5,079, have been culled. One woman with a flock of 100 hens, discovered she had no layers among them all. Any farmer, reading Extension Circular 70 by the University of Missouri College of Agriculture, can learn to select the layers from his flock of hens and reduce the winter's feed bill.

Equal Suffrage League Feels Slighted.

St. Louis, Oct. 8. — Officers of the Equal Suffrage League of St. Louis are "riled." The league is organizing women voters on a non-partisan basis and planned to have itself represented on the Democratic state committee. A list of the nominees was sent to City Chairman Daly, who informed the league that he could do nothing in the matter because the committee women would have to be selected by each congressional district separately. By the time the league learned of this rule the districts had selected their members of the committee, none of the league's nominees being chosen. A caustic letter to Chairman Daly, from officers of the league, was the result.

Danger in Home-Canned Food, Too; Boil Before Eating, Doctor Advises

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 8.—Unless carefully done home preservation of food is fraught with danger, according to Dr. M. P. Ravenel of the department of preventative medicine of the University of Missouri. The following bulletin in regard to poisoning from home canned foods has been issued by Doctor Ravenel, who is director of the Public Health Service of the University:

"The war has brought about a great increase in home canning of vegetables and fruits. Preservation of foods is a great blessing, but unless carefully done is fraught with danger. The daily papers frequently report cases of poisoning by foods, and the medical journals show the accuracy of many of these reports. Perhaps the most common form of poisoning is known as botulism—from botulus, a sausage—the name indicating the belief that sausages were chiefly responsible for this sort of poisoning. Recent discoveries have shown that vegetables cause this poisoning more often than meats, and improper canning is chiefly responsible.

"The germ cannot grow in the body, hence the symptoms are caused by a poison formed in the can. Such foods often do not show "spoiling" as ordinarily understood, though they may smell and taste rancid, but this may be hidden by the dressing served with them.

"The poison is a chemically unstable substance, which is destroyed by heating, and most cases are seen where canned vegetables such as asparagus and beans are eaten as salads without cooking on removal from the can.

"In this form of poisoning gastric and abdominal symptoms are slight or absent. The first symptoms are dizziness, disturbances of sight, drooping of eye-lids, with difficulty in chewing and swallowing. On the first appearance of symptoms the stomach should be emptied and large doses of castor oil given. The intestine soon becomes paralyzed and then cathartics cannot act. The saline cathartics are not as good as the oil. Treatment must be prompt as the poison is very fatal.

"Prevention should begin with canning. Select only sound and clean vegetables, handle them in a clean manner throughout, pack in clean jars or cans and steam or boil thoroughly. Be sure that the seal is tight. Use rubbers of best quality. Finally, to make assurance doubly sure, bring the vegetables to a boil for five minutes before serving.

"Most cases of poisoning have occurred from home-canned products. Commercially canned foods have been found almost invariably to be safe."

REDUCTION OF OUTPUT OF GOLD AND SILVER IS SHOWN

Government Reports for 1918 Prove Considerable Decrease From the 1917 Record Set by the U. S.

Washington, Oct. 8.—A reduction in the gold output of the United States and its territories of $15,104,000 compared with the calendar year 1917 is indicated in the joint statement of the bureau of the mint and geological survey for the year 1918, just issued. The silver output for 1918 shows a reduction in production of 3,930,223 ounces.

According to the statement the value of gold produced in 1918 was $68,646,-700, compared with $83,750,700 for 1917, and silver 67,810,139 ounces for 1918, compared with 71,740,362 ounces in 1917.

The figures by states and territories are as follows:

Territory	Gold	Silver
Alaska	$ 9,424,700	$ 787,057
Aalabama	700	2
Arizona	5,583,000	6,697,978
California	16,784,400	1,404,815
Colorado	12,724,700	6,765,435
Georgia	4,500	44
Idaho	701,400	9,212,411
Illinois	.....	8,057
Maine	700	6,214
Maryland	.....	161
Michigan	.....	506,206
Missouri	60	41,389
Montana	3,280,700	16,658,232
Nevada	6,700,440	9,737,989
New Hampshire	.....	678
New Mexico	687,080	758,545
N. Carolina	4,400	98
Oregon	1,265,700	126,626
Philippine Is.	1,200,000	12,740
Porto Rico	100	.....
S. Dakota	6,699,400	158,082
Tennessee	5,600	103,761
Texas	20	567,841
Utah	3,153,000	13,228,911
Vermont	1,000	4,795
Virginia	400	1,779
Washington	333,800	294,138
Wyoming	900	1,230
Totals	$68,646,700	$66,485,129

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC. required by the act of congress of August 24, 1912, of Daily Democrat-Forum published daily except Sunday at Maryville, Missouri, for October 1, 1919.

State of Missouri, county of Nodaway, ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Walter S. Todd, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the business manager of the Daily Democrat-Forum and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, postal laws and regulations, to-wit:

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That the average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the six months preceding the date shown above is 3458.

WALTER S. TODD.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of October, 1919.

MARTIN A. LEWIS,
Notary Public.

(My commission expires July 18, 1922)

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

Classified "wants", one cent per word first insertion and one half cent per word for each subsequent insertion, no advertisement for less than.....25c

Classified wants, by the month, per line (six words) per month.....70c

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on li Want Ads when cash does not accompany he order.

FOR SALE.

Equitable
Life, Health and Accident
"Buy it of Brewer."

FOR SALE—Modern 7-room house cemented basement, fruit on place and close in. A bargain. Investigate this. 222 West Fourth St. S10t

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars and gilts; a fine lot to select from. A. B Dowden. Phone 1-13, Maryville, Mo S23tf

FOR SALE—Second -hand tires, all sizes. Will sell reasonable. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. O6tf

FOR SALE—Jonathan apples, sprayed. E. F. Shelton, Farmers 14-18. 6-11*

FOR SALE—Dry cord wood. Call Hanamo 4320. 6-8*

WANTED—All kinds of junk and Junk cars. We also buy and sell all kinds of second-hand cars. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. O6tf

LOST—2 keys and $3 in change. Call Democrat-Forum. 6-8*

FOR SALE—Roll top desk, buffet, refrigerator and some other household articles, very cheap. Rev. W. F. Burris, 121 S. Mulberry. 6-8

FOR SALE—A good fresh milk cow. Mrs. Guy Gray. 6.8*

FOR SALE this week—Illinois and King Bee heating stove. Han. 4246. Farmers 164. 6-8*

PRIVATE SALE of household good at the home of the late Mrs. John Snapp. Piano, dining room table, heating stoves, beds, kitchen cabinets carpets, etc. 422 E. 7th St. 6-8*

FOR SALE—Sound tomatoes, $1.00 per bushel. Mrs. John F. Meek, Farmers 10.15. 7-9*

FOR SALE—293-acre stock farm, 4 miles of square. $145. C. D. Allen, over Wells Bakery. 7-9*

FOR SALE—Jonathan apples, 75c to $1.50 from orchard. Will R. Wells Farmers phone 3812. 7-13*

MISCELLANEOUS

TIRES! TIRES! TIRES—Michelin Racine, Goodyear, Goodrich, United States and Ajax at Johnson's Garage Pickering. O3tf

WANTED — $100,000 hom emoney to lend to farmers immediately, to assist to buy farms. If you have sums large or small to lend, let us know—business always confidential. The Sisson Loan & Title Co., over Nodaway Valley Bank. S5tf

CENSUS CLERKS (men, women), 4,000 needed. $95 month. Age, 18-50. Experience unnecessary. Examinations Maryville Oct. 18. For free particulars, write J. Leonard (former Government Examiner), 750 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 4-11*

LOST—Rim for headlight on Interstate car between Maryville and Hugh O'Donnell farm. Leave at U. S. Copper Cable Co. 7-9*

LOST—Two $20 bills and one $5 bill between Maryville and Burlington Junction or Tarkio. Leave at this office and receive reward. 8-10

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A few nice Jonathan culls, some good winter apples, good keepers; also some Buff Orpington chickens, priced right for immediate sale. Chas. Tabler, Hanamo 3362. 7-9*

LOST—A McKee lens and rim for Ford car, between 102 river and Platte river on the Harmony road. Leave at this office. 7-9*

WANTED—Good cow, fresh one preferred. A. W. Frazee, Farmers 144. 8-10*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Hot water, heat, electric light and privilege of bath. Rooms suitable for four girls or four young men. Inquire at Hotel I. V. A. S2tf.

FOR RENT OR SALE — Six-room house, electric lights, well in kitchen, 2 good outbiuldings and good garden spot. 422 E. 7th St. Hanamo 5724. The Snapp Estate. 6-8*

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms; 504 S. Mulberry. Phone Han. 719. 7-9*

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Kansas City, Oct. 8.—December corn $1.22; May corn $1.20¼.

Kansas City, Oct. 8.—Cattle receipts 18,000; steers $8 to $18; cows $8 to $12. Hog receipts 8,000; top $16.20; bulk $15.50 to $16.

St. Joseph, Oct. 8.—Cattle receipts 5,000; 25c lower. Hog receipts 4,000; top $16; 50c lower. Sheep receipts 2,600

Chicago, Oct. 8.—Cattle receipts 14,000; hogs 15,000; sheep 34,000.

PRODUCE MARKET

Eggs, per doz.	45c
Hens, per lb.	20c
Spring Chickens, per lb.	18
Butterfat, per lb.	62c
Hides, per lb.	23c
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per pound	12c
Old roosters, per pound	12c

Barnard M. E. Church.

Revival meetings are now in progress at the Barnard Methodist Church. Large audiences were present both morning and night. Nine girls received the ordinance of baptism and were taken into the church. The meetings are increasing in integest. The people are anxious for an old fashioned revival. Dr. Harmon will be here some time next week to assist the pastor. Services commences each night at 8:30. There will be special music. You are invited.

Arthur S. Olsen, Pastor.

FOR SALE—Apples and fres cider. M. C. Thompson, 3½ miles north of town. Farmers 715 8-10.

DANIELS INVITES YOUNG MEN TO ENTER NAVY, SEE WORLD

The Seas Mean More to Us Now Than retary; Pay Is Better, too retar; Pay Is Better, Too.

"The world is to be made over. There is a new geography and a new map. The seas mean more to us than before the World War," says Josephus Daniels, secretary of the navy.

"We have built many new ships for the navy and have under construction fighting ships that will be the last word in naval efficiency and power. More merchant ships have been built in the last three years than in the previous thirty years. The expansion of our world trade will call for more ships.

"Seafaring is to come into its own, with better opportunities and better pay for men who go down to the sea in ships.

"To man the ships of the American navy we are inviting young men of ambition to enlist. Service in the navy, in these days, is practical schooling. There is hard work and firm discipline, but there is consideration, good treatment, good food, a chance to see the world, good schools, practical instruction, opportunity for advancement to the highest rank, and an open door to honorable service of one's country.

"In the last three years, two of the honor graduates of the Naval Academy have been enlisted men. Hundreds of enlisted men have been promoted to commissioned rank. Every man who enlists has the privilege of competing for appointment as midshipman at the Naval Academy. Special instruction is given all youths who wish to preparepare for these examinations.

"The navy is a great mechanical and electrical institution. Every enlisted man with mechanical talent can perfect himself in a trade which will secucure him promotion in the navy, or a good position if he chooses to return to civil life.

"Almost every grade can be mastered in a navy enlistment by young men of purpose and capacity, and every possible facility for instruction is provided for ambitious and fit young men.

"My message to young men in America who love the sea and look for honorable service and who seek advancement, is to enlist in the navy. The doors are open wide and there is welcome and comradeship.

"Come in, boys, the water is fine."

Attempt to Communicate With Mars.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 8.—According to an announcement made by Leo Stephens, balloon instructor at Fort Omaha, an attempt will be made by Professor David Todd to communicate with the planet Mars in a balloon made and piloted by Stephens this fall. The gas bag will be the largest ever constructed, it is said, and will ascend to an altitude of about 50,000 feet. Its capacity will be approximately 140,000 feet.

INFLUENZA IS COMING BACK THIS FALL, THE DOCTORS SAY

Precaution Is Urged, as No Effective Method of Fighting the Disease Has Been Found

New York, Oct. 8.—Physicians and health authorities throughout the country are feverishly preparing to combat Spanish influenza, which, it is predicted, will return this fall and winter with more virulence than ever.

Experiments with several kinds of serum and vaccine have failed to develop a single one which will effectively insure the public against the ravages of the dreaded disease. Another epidemic, the doctors say, must be fought with the same medicines used last year, but a little precaution used before the situation arrives will save thousands of lives.

Harvard University medical school has announced the discoverey of an efficacious serum ,and requests have come from the entire country for full particulars. New York health officers, however, are frankly dubious.

Here, say physicians, are the best known weapons with which to fight "flu" bugs:

1. Isolate every case of influenza.
2. Thoroughly wash all cooking and eating utensils used by patient.
3. Wash face and hands thoroughly especially after leaving sick room.
4. Begin NOW to build up your system by frequent bathing, healthy exercise and plenty of outdoor life so that the body will have more power to resist infection.
5. Wash mouth and nostrils several time a day and especially after coming from street or any crowded place.

The epidemic started last year on September 25.

Watch your step!

Big Mule Sale
At STANBERRY, MO.
Mon. Oct. 13
At Petty's Sale Pavilion
75 Head of Mules and 2 Horses.

This being my 12th annual mule sale, I will offer some of the best matched spans of mare mules ever offered to the public.

25 head of mare mules, coming 3-years-old. Some 4 or 5 spans of work mules, and some extra good suckling mules.

60 head of good native black faced breeding ewes and also some cattle. Cattle and sheep will sell before noon. Mules will sell immediately after noon.

Sale to commence at 10:30 a. m.

Sheep and cattle, E. A. Walker, owner. Mules, W. E. Petty, owner.

TERMS—will be made known on day of sale.

E. A. Walker

Cols. W. Gibson, Malson Brothers, A. Roberston—Auctioneers

PUBLIC SALE

As I have sold my farm and am going to move to Colodrado, I will sell at public auction at my place 3¾ miles northwest of Ravenwood and 1 mile south and ¼ mile east of Harmony church on

Friday, October 10

Beginning promptly at 1 o'clock p. m.

The following described property to wit:

8 HORSES AND MULES

1 saddle and driving mare nine years old, weight 1100; 1 three-year-old draft colt; bay horse 10 years old; 1 two-year-old colt, 1 yearling colt; 1 coming two-year-old mule, 2 suckling mules, two-year-old Jack to be sold at private sale.

16 Head of Cattle.

3 registered Shorthorn cows with calves by side, Shorthorn bull, 4 milk cows, 3 two-year-old heifers—two with calves by side, the other to be fresh soon.

Implements, Etc.

Harrow, hay rack, wagon, sulky plow, 7-foot Deering binder, corn planter, carriage, buggy, hog toroughs, chicken coops, and other articles.

100 to 150 BROWN LEGHORN HENS

Hay and Grain

About 15 tons timothy and clover mixed hay, 5 or 6 tons cane hay, 500 bushels corn, some good oats, stalk fields, 3 bushel clover and about 50 bushel timothy seed, if not sold before sale.

TERMS of SALE—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time will be given, purchaser to give bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Nothing to be removed until terms of sale have been complied with.

J. R. LAWSON

COL. CHAS. EVANS—Auct. FAY CASTEEL—Clerk